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TO ERNEST A. TIPTON Anna Blanch C. Tipton vs. Ernest A. Tipton ...

State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15131 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to. that the defendant Ernest A. Tipton is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of March next. and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing exparte as to him. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks. This 2nd day of Feb. 1917

J. C. FORD, C. & M.
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TO SILAS WILLIAMS

Mattie Williams Vs Silas Williams State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox county No. 15125 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Silas Williams is a non-resident of Tennessee, so that ordinary process cannot be served up on him. it is ordered that said defind appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of Mar. next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him, This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

J. C. FORD, C. & M. W. R. Henderson, Sol. Feb. 3 10 17 24 1917

TO LUTHER MCBRYANT

Georgia McBryant vs. Luther McBryant State of Tennessee. In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15058 In this cause, it appearing from th. bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Luther McBryant whose residence is unknown and cannot be as certained after diligent inquiry so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of Mar. next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for conex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Inde pendent for four successive weeks.

This 2nd day of Feb 1917 J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master. E. G. Stooksbury, Sol. Feb. 3 10 17 24 1917

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE TO CHAS, L. LOKER

Waiter W. Coker, et al. vs. Chas. L. Coker et al.

In the County Court of Knox County, Tennessee, No. 4077
In this cause it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Chas. L. Coker make defense to said petition or the same will be taken for confessed as to said Charles L. Coker and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to This 14th day of February 1917 JESSE L. HENSON,

County Court Clerk. S. O. HOUSTON, Sol. Feb.17 24 Mar 3 10 1917

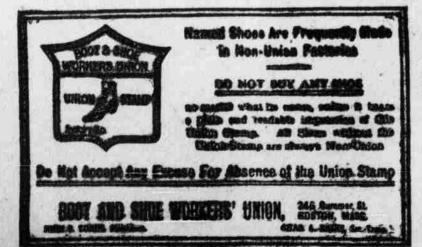
Cuba Deports Strike Breakers.

Thirty American engineers and firemen, sent to Havana from Chicago as strike breakers, were deported by the Cuban government for breaking the contract labor law, they having acknowledged that their tickets were paid for them. They belong to a party of 150 strike breakers, most of whom are now stranded penniless in Havana. All say they were hired in Chicago at \$210 a month for work on the Cuban railroad extension, but were told nothing about a strike.

TO SUSIE AMBURSTER Will Amburster vs. Susie Amburster in Chancery Court of Knox County.

State of Tennessee, No. 15162 essee so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of April next, and next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing exparte as to her. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks. This 22nd day of Feb. 1917 J. C. FORD, Cl'k & Mas.

W. F. Yardley Sol. Feb. 24 March 3 10 17 1917



# TENNESSEE NEV CUT TO THE QUICK FOR BUSY READERS

Dallie Merriman, 26, was arrested in see. Wheat foliage that is dead give Cleveland, Tenn., charged with murder off a decaying odor, an entirely new ing her infant daughter. Evidence condition, Prof. Moores declared.

was furnished by her parents.

The good roads bill for Washington county that was recently passed in the legislature at Nashville will be submitted to the voters March 17. The issue carries \$750,000

Charging non-support, Mrs. Eliza

So far in the probe of the affairs witnesses or by letters from agents.

the rich coal fields of Clay County, that it would be guided chiefly by the Ky., Bristol is planning to ask new briefs on file in fact and when it had freight rates to take advantage of this new road.

There were no bids for the Tennes- ington. see Central Railroad, when offered at auction in Nashville. Special Commissioner Doak postponed the sale until March 1, subject to order of the Fed eral Court.

The State Board of Health issued a flicted with or suspected of being afflicted with trachoma from attending school, public or private, either as teacher or pupil. Trahoma is commonly known as "red sore eyes."

Joe King, a respected farmer of Post Oak, near Rockwood, was shot and killed. His brother-in-law, John Blank, is charged with the killing. A dispute over a fence line is said to have caused the trouble. Blank escaped heavily

Chattanooga and Hamilton County will have a total bonded indebtedness of \$7,667,000 when the county issues the bonds for which authority is being asked of the present Legislature. fessed and the cause set for hearing The total property valuation of city and county is \$55,180,028.

Interest in dairy farming in Weak ley County increased greatly in the past year. The farmers in one dairy community report to R. E. Ellis, county agent in farm demonstration work, that they have contracted for twenty new silos.

The educational committeemen of Tennessee, will be unanimous in their recommendation of a total of \$113,000 appropriation for the university, ac-

has been elected as his successor. Mr. Williams was formerly an official of the state treasurer's office under Treas- get training in blacksmithing, surveyurer Hickerson and since then he has been engaged in special auditing work in woodwork and building design. They

in the state. Only about half of the 75 men composing field hospital corps No. 1, N. G. S. T., will return to the positions they occupied before going to the mobilization camp in Nashville June 27. 1916. Officers and friends of the corps will make every effort to secure places for men whose former employers cannot arrange to give them work.

Details of a sensational pistol duel, in which 15 shots were fired, were disclosed when Will Clifton, 35 years old, authorities at Pikeville, Tenn., following the death of Bob Womack, 47 year old. The cause of the duel was a mystery, as the men formerly were friends.

A meeting of the members of the Washington, County Warehouse Company was held in Johnson City at which a large number of prospective tobacco growers were present and a site for a warehouse was discussed. The company has issued a pamphlet on tobacco culture. Seeds were distributed and preparations are being made for the sowing about February 15.

Major Eugene Castner Lewis, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway and one of the most distinguished citizens of Nashville, died at him home in that city. Prominent in industrial and railroad circles in Nashville and the South for many years, Major Lewis has been a conspicuous figure in the development of that section.

Explanation of the work and aims of the Lincoln Memorial University at Cumberland Gap, which is doing wonderrul work for the children of the Tennessee and Kentucky mountains, was given by members of a party of Chicagoans who were returning from an inspection of the university. An

been raised. Private advices received in Memalready reduced because of a shortage

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Douglas Stephenson was killed near Neapolis, when his car skidded and he leaped from the machine.

Extremely cold weather has damaged Tennessee's wheat crop 50 per cent in the opinion of Prof. C. A. Moores, of the University of Tennessee College of Agriculture, following an examination of conditions at the university farm and the consideration of reports from Middle and East Tennes-

Retail merchants of Tennessee and adjoining states will form an organization at the short course for their benefit in Knoxville, March 6 and 7. Meetings of the organization will be held once each year. At these meetings will be considered topics which Gothard, 76, secured a divorce from will enable the merchant to increase her husband, Eliza Gothard 86. They his business and thus rake in more will enable the merchant to increase were married in Chattanooga 47 years shekels. Fully 500 merchants are expected to attend the short course.

The armor plate commission declined of the insurance department of the to change its iteniary upon request of State by the legislative committee no Chattanooga and Knoxville committee complaints have been made either by and return via those places in order to give such committees the "last say" Following the opening of the Cum- as to the location of the eleven million berland & Manchester Railway into dollar plant. The commission stated completed its work at Rome February 27, it would return directly to Wash-

Although plans have been on foot for some time to make the University of Tennessee an institution having a training corps for reserve officers, it was only definitely decided that this was to go into effect when the war deproclamation forbidding persons af partment at Washington authorized President Brown Ayres, of the university, to establish such a unit in accordance with the various and numerous preparedness movements in circulation throughout the country.

The government trachoma hospital is now open at Tazewell for the treatment of trachoma, commonly known as granulated eyelids or red sore eyes. This hospital is a branch of the United States public health service and is established for the purpose of furnishing free treatment and aid in eradicating trachoma. Patients from any county or state will be admitted to the hospital if afflicted with the disease.

The consolidation of the two telephone companies operating in Bristol, Johnson City, Abingdon, Jonesboro and other points in East Tennessee and Southwest Virginia now only await the formal approval of the Interstate TO ROBERT HAYES PIGKELI Commerce Commission. The consolidation will be brought about by the purchase on the part of the Bristol Telephone company, of all properties the legislature, who concluded a two of the Southern Bell Telephone comdays inspection of the University of pany. It will connect with the universal toll system of the Bell company.

cultural department of the University of Tennessee, students, of agriculture ing farm areas, drainage, terracing and are also trained in the use of power machinery, such as the steam and gear engine and water power. Water, lighting and heating systems for the farm, as well as for the school and church, are studied.

Subscriptions to the capital stock of the Louisville Farm Loan Bank, which is to serve Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Tennessee, have proved almost a travesty. The books have been closed. The total subscriptions were for 5.65% shares of \$5 each, or a total of \$28,290. well known farmer, sufrendered to the The bank will start on or about March 1, with a capital of \$750,000. The balance of \$721,710 above the amount subscribed will be supplied by the Government on a nondividend paying

Rural mail carriers out in Tennes see will soon receive the back pay which was provided for them in an act of 1914, passed by Congress providing Court of Knox County, No. 15150 . that rural carriers of the county should get more money for their services. The advanced rate of pay has been in effect since July 1, 1915, and the pay which the rural carriers will get is the back pay for services. The several defendant appear before the Chancery carriers who will be effected by the Court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or raise will receive individually different sums ranging from \$8 to \$96.

Farmers in Middle Tennessee working in co-operation with the division of extension, University of Tennessee, in farm demonstration, had in corn last year almost 5,400 acres. On this land there were 530 corn demonstrations, with an average yield of 44.21 bushels to the acre. The corn club boys, who also followed the instructions of the county agents for only one acre of ground each, numbered 230. The average yield from their intensive work was 62.33 bushels to the acre, at a cost of 30 cents a bushel.

The Four Seams Collieries Company, effort is being made to raise \$1,000,000 of which Johnson City and Jellico, as an indowment fund; \$200,000 has Tenn., people are at the head, are getting into readiness to begin shipping coal from their Buffalo Creek phis indicated that restrictions had operations near Whitesburg, Ky., one been placed against the shipment of among the largest in that field. The lumber from the South to mills and company will soon be snipping 1,000 consuming markets in the East and tons of coal daily. The East Tenessee Middle West, which it was feared, Coal Company are also making some would result in a serious curtailment big increases in their plant, practically of the production of saw mills in that roubling the output. These is unusual section of the hardwood timber belt, industrial activity throughout the eastern Kentucky and Tennessee coal fields.

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Anna Pickell vs Robert Hayes Pickell State of Tennessee. In Chancery Court of Knox County No. 15157 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Robert Hayes Pickell is s non-resident of the State of Tenne-To induce the N. C. & St. L. railroad to extend the Centreville branch of the N. C. & St. L. from Allens Creek to Waynesboro, a distance of fourteen miles, a committee of the most prominent business men of Waynesboro defense to said bill, or the same

TO H. S. MIZNER

Crown Oil & . Wax Co et al. vs. Union Beverage Co. et al., of Tennessee, In Chancery State of Tennessec, In Chancery Court of Knox County. No. 15133 In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant, H. S. Mizner is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxand the cause set for hearing exparte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks

This 16th day of Feb. 1917 J. C. FORD, C. & M. Cates & Price, Sols. Feb. -17-24-Mar. 3-10 1917

TO MAGGIE MITCHELL Robert Mitchell vs. Maggie Mitchell State of Tennessee, In Chancery In this cause it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant Maggie Mitchell is a non -resident of Tennessee so that the ordinary process cannot be before the first Monday of April next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent

for four consecutive weeks. This 16th day of February 1917
J. C. Ford, Clerk & Master
T. J. CLINE, Sol. -Feb. 17 24 Mar. 8-10-1917

TO ELLA ROBERTS M. C. Roberts vs. Ella Roberts State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court

of Knox County. No. 15167
In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant Ella Roberts is a non resident of the State of Tennessee so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her. it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of April next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex-parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independant for

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This 23rd day of Feb. 1917

J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master. FL C. Ely, Sol Feb. 24 March 3 10 17 1917

COUNTY COURT LAND SALE.

No. 4072.

Margaret Evans et al. vs. Julia Young.

Pursuant to a decree pronounced in
the above cause at the January term,
in the county court of Knox

1917, in the county court of Knox county, Tennessee, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the north door of the court house, in Knoxville, Tenn., on Saturday, the 24th day of February, 1917, at 11 o'clock a. m. the lands described in the pleadings, situated in the eleventh district of Knox county. Tennessee, fronting about 150 county, Tennessee, fronting about 150 feet on the Wright's ferry pike, and running back about 200 feet adjoining McGuire, Galbraith and others, con-

Terms: Said land will be sold on a credit of 6 and 12 months, taking interest bearing notes with approved security and retaining a lien on land as further security, in bar of the equity of redemption rights.

JESSE L. HENSON,

County Court Clark

SHERMAN R. MAPLES, Sol. Feb. 3-10-17-24.

TO ALEX CAVAS :1 28 GRE GORIOS CAVALARIS

John C. Cavalaris vs. J. A. White et al In Chancery Court of Knox County. of Knox County. No. 15082

In this cause, it appearing form the cross bill filed, which is sworn to. that the defendant Alex Cavas alias Gregorio Cacavas is a non resident of the Staet of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him. It is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxville, renn. on or before the first Monday of April next, and make defense to said bill or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks.

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This 24th day of Feb 1917

J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master. ROY A. JOHNSTON, Trustee. Feb 24 March 3 14 17 1917

NON-RESIDENT ATTACHMENT NOTICE. TO I. H. KYLE Jr. Samuel Booher vs 1 H. Kyle Jr.

State of Tennessee. In Chancery Court of Knox County. No. 15165 of Nashville and the Third National Bank, of St. Louis, \$1,000,000 in state bonds authorized monthly by the general assembly to meet pressing obligations, requiring said defendant to appear published in Knoxville, Tenn., requiring said defendant to appear before the County Court for Knox County, Tennessee on or before the first Monday of April, next and make defense to said petition or the same will be assented as secretary of the state board of control and Claude P. Williams of Williams of Williams of Williams of Williams of Williams of Waynesboro of In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed by him and and the cause set from hauling over the road in the event of the Knoxville Independent, a pear before the County Court for Knox County, Tennessee, on or before the tat Monday of April next and make defense to said believed or the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant I H. Kyle Je. is justly will be taken for confessed by him and and the cause set for hearing expendent of tonnage that he could safely count of Knox County. Tennessee, on or before the to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed by him and and the cause set for hearing expendent of tonnage that he could safely count of the state of Tennessee on or before the to said bill, or the same will be defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed by him and and the cause set for hearing expendent of tonnage that he could safely count the defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed by him and and the cause set for hearing expendent in the defense to said bill, or the same will be defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed by him and and the cause set for hearing expendent. The defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed by him and independent, a below the form of the taken for confessed by him and and the cause set for hearing expendent. The defense to said bill, or the same will first Monday of April next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT

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SWITCHMEN'S AWARD.

Eight Hour Concession Sounds Well,

but Doesn't Mean Anything. Members of the New York branch of the Switchmen's Union of America denled that the award of the federal board of arbitration, filed in the United States district court, New York city, on Dec. 24, constituted an eight hour day as described by that body.

"They've given us a phrase we can't collect on," was the way one of the officials of the union characterized it.

The eight hour concession was awarded to the union by the federal board after a wage and hour controversy extending over months. The Switchmen's union is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, but not with the four transportation brotherhoods in train service that made the eight hour day a national issue. The federal board granted the request of the switchmen that "eight hours or less shall constitute an eight hour day," but denied their request for time and a half for overtime. But they did grant the members of the union, so far as they had contracts with the various railroads, a flat increase of 5 cents an hour.

"The trouble with an eight hour concession," the union official quoted above said, "is that there is no financial penalty imposed on the railroads for working their switchmen more than eight hours. The federal board merely has said to the railroads, 'If you work these men more than eight hours you must pay them at the same rate as during the eight hours,' which, of course, is no concession at all. They could have called the award a six hour day or even a four hour day, because just as long as the rate of pay after the expiration of the stated day remains the same as before the men gain nothing, at least by that particu-

lar concession.' Send us your job printing. We do job printing at fair pric